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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b> Applicant(s): Hisashi TSUKAMOTO et al.	Docket No. <b>Q130-US1</b>
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Invention: **ELECROLYTE SYSTEM AND ENERGY STORAGE DEVICE USING SAME**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27 by a verified statement previously submitted.

☐ A verified statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed.

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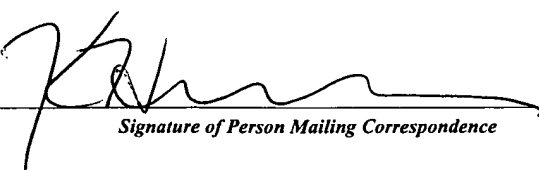
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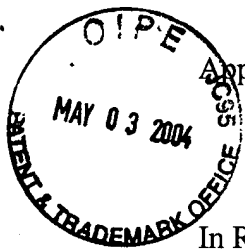
  
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Title: Electrolyte System and Energy  
Storage Device Using Same

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RESPONSE TO MARCH 11, 2004 OFFICE ACTION

Introductory Comments

In response to the Office communication of March 11, 2004, please amend the subject application as follows and consider the subsequent remarks.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2.

A listing of the claims begins on page 5.

Remarks begin on page 18.

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